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Enclosed are:

☒ 11 Sheets of Formal Drawings.

☐ An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York 10504.

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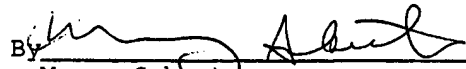
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